

DEMOCRATIC SENATORS FILLISTER

Business at State Capitol Delayed by Obstructive Tactics of the Minority

TO PREVENT THE REJECTION OF SAXE

Failure to Take Such Action by Thursday Would Result in Governor's Nomination of Factory Inspector Becoming Effective—Hence Useless Oratory to Kill Time—Republicans Checkmate Scheme.

Eloquence Heard Only by Senators.
As only the senators themselves were in the senate chamber, the great flood of words which included excerpts from the statutes the confederates

The governor's nomination of John L. McCleary as acting inspector of mines and for the express purpose of bringing about a statutory limitation on the power of the senate could not be expected to act upon the nomination.

Extending the Legislative Day.

Paradoxical as it may seem, the democrats believed that they were in a position to act either by extending the session of the senate went into executive session at noon, recessed at 1.30, resumed at 2.30 and adjourned until 11.15 tomorrow, thereby continuing the session.

Record, the reports of Factory Inspector McCleary, scores of letters from the people, and the fact that the democrats in order to give their constituents an opportunity to express their views, and from various publications are lost to posterity.

Never Such a Filibuster in Notorious State.

There were some parliamentary tactics owing to the desire to rally the people against the administration of the Governor Blakeslee, who has been

The speakers close to their subjects, they were not allowed to be shut out to allow a vote to be taken on the bill. The speaker said as this one never before in the history of the Connecticut legislature. The speaker said that in 1900, when the bill was introduced, it was a bill to amend the constitution to allow a vote to be taken on the bill. The speaker said that in 1900, when the bill was introduced, it was a bill to amend the constitution to allow a vote to be taken on the bill.

points which were made subject to the approval of the senate, confirmed or rejected within legislative days, unless other provisions of the constitution are taken on the tenth day the nomination becomes effective. The senate is authorized to which the executive appointment has been made is ousted.

It is not easily recalled that such a condition ever arose, the chief executive officer of the senate.

been in harmony with the senate politically. In this instance, Governor Baldwin sent in the name of Mr. Saxe, a democratic member of the House, to caucus last week determined to oppose confirmation. Senator Platt of New York was called upon, however, favored Mr. Saxe. The democrats had figured it out that Senators Lounsbury and Aldrich would vote for him, possibly be counted upon to vote for Mr. Saxe.

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chairman of the committee on executive nominations, had the matter of an executive session set for this noon. The appointment had come in the afternoon of the week Thursday would be the tenth legislative day.

Democrats Decided to Fillbuster.

The democrats decided, under Senators Spellacy and McNell, to filibuster.

relying on senatorial courtesy and lack of the proper knowledge of the previous question, to enable them to "talk the unfavorable majority report to death." At the executive session, Senators Woodruff and Bartleson reported the majority opinion, and Senator Spelacy brought in a favorable report. The motion came on accepting the unfavorable re-

The Flood of Oratory Starts.

The democrats then began to talk, and the first speaker, Senator Mitchell, was in the midst of an address which lasted forty minutes, that Senator Judson, the republican leader, realized the purpose of the flood of oratory. He quickly stood that the democrats had arranged to talk, giving way

eratic senators have exhausted their oratory and Senator Mahan was of the opinion that the filibuster will be tomorrow.

labor Bills jeopardized.

All matters continue on the calendar as they are. Some democratic senators were worried lest the filibuster will injure the chances of a number

The democratic desire for republican morality was so strong that the legislature would make one more legislative day tomorrow, and then its adjournment was taken this would bring the tenth legislative day at hand in the morning.

nority could not force an adjournment and as it appeared, the republicans were willing to sit and listen to the democrats orate and when they got tired in the late afternoon they agreed to recess, which did not end the legislative day.

AGAINST JACK JOHNSON

Italian Sculptor Recovers for a Bust of the Champion.

New York, May 16.—Jack Johnson, the champion heavyweight pugilist, took the court again today in California. The law was the victor and

HIT THE LABOR UNION

Governor Baldwin Thinks Supreme Court Decision a Proper One.

New Haven, May 18.—In speaking of the recent decision of the United States supreme court on the Standard Oil case, Governor Baldwin tonight

It landed a knockout punch on his big wallet to the tune of \$100. In the bout today, Johnson was matched with a new contender, a 30-year-old Italian sculptor named Martino Sciarrino, who weighed far below the heavyweight limit in avoidrups. Sciarrino made a bust for Johnson, and Johnson was to have paid him \$1,000 for it.

ing it away, however, continued Scarpino. Johnson always said "Tomorrow." The big fellow, with a smile, said the bust did not look like him, and that therefore he refused it. The jury decided the bust in favor of the sculptor.

**ANNUAL BANQUET OF
MERIDEN TEACHERS.**

Meriden, Conn., May 16.—The first annual banquet of the Meriden Teachers' association was held this evening at the Winthrop hotel. Upwards of 150 members of the city's corps of teachers were present and listened to

Interested addresses delivered by prominent educators. H. D. Beebe acted as toastmaster and Super W. P. Kelly as the toastmaster. Dashed Clouds, K. Smith of New Britain, a student of the state board of education, and Macrus White, principal of the state normal at New Britain, responded. Mr. White was the principal of the subject being The Evolution of the

Stimson Confirmed by Senate.
Washington, May 14.—Henry Stimson, New York, was confirmed by the senate today to be secretary of war to succeed Jacob M. Dickinson. The senate also confirmed Francis W. Bird to be auditor of the treasury in the district of New York, succeeding George W. Wamsamaker, resigned.

